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re Patent Application of Olivier Larcher et al.

Application No.: 10/568,853 Filing Date: August 9, 2006

Title:

COMPOSITION BASED ON CERIUM OXIDE AND ON ZIRCONIUM OXIDE HAVING A HIGH

REDUCIBILITY AND HIGH SPECIFIC SURFACE, METHODS FOR THE

PREPARATION THEREOF AND USE AS A

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## AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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| Sir:        |  |  |  |  |
| Enclos      | sed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.  |  |  |  |
|             | A Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed.  |  |  |  |
|             | Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the $\square$ \$ 70 $\square$ \$ 140 fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are enclosed. |  |  |  |
|             | Also enclosed is/are:  |  |  |  |
|             | Small entity status is hereby claimed.   |  |  |  |
|             | No additional claim fee is required.   |  |  |  |
| $\boxtimes$ | An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:   |  |  |  |

| •   |                  | AMENDE  | ED CLAIMS    |                 |        |          |
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|   | No. of<br>Claims | Highest No. of<br>Claims Previously<br>Paid For | Extra Claims | Rate            | Additi | onal Fee |
| Total Claims  | 26               | 22  | 4            | x \$ 52 (1202)  | \$     | 208      |
| Independent Claims  | 2                | 3   | 0            | x \$ 220 (1201) |        | 0        |
| ☐ If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$ 390 (1203)          |                  |   |              |                 |        | 0        |
| Total Claim Amendment Fee   |                  |   |              |                 |        | 208      |
| ☐ Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee |                  |   |              |                 |        | 0        |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT                         |                  |   |              |                 |        | 208      |

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| ⊠ | The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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